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29th  
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COMMENCEMENT

*Ochre Court Terrace*

*Sunday, May 20, 1979*

*1:00 p.m.*

NEWPORT, RHODE ISLAND

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### *Assisted by*

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SISTER LUCILLE MCKILLOP, R.S.M.

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AND

SISTER MARY ELOISE TOBIN, R.S.M.

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*A Rare Combination*

We rarely find in an academic community an individual who exemplifies to a very high degree *all* of the qualities to which each of us aspires, namely, scholarship, denoting love of the true; fidelity, portraying devotion to the good; and service to the beauty found within our fellow humans. Rarer still is the exemplification of all these qualities in two members of the same faculty. And most rare is this combination in a unique pair of twins, Sisters of us all.

For these reasons all of us — students, staff, faculty, administration and Board of Trustees — at Salve Regina - The Newport College, honor you today, SISTER MARY JEAN AND SISTER MARY ELOISE TOBIN, R.S.M., for more than a quarter century each of scholarship, fidelity, and service to this academic community and well beyond.

Your scholarship, which is both profound and broad, has taught us to love the true by the clarity of your explanations, and, still more, by the strength of your example. Intellectuals, you love good books and the ideas they contain. Your research depicts the continual search for the truth which the best scholarship implies. Exemplary educators, you have set standards without being rigid, gearing your teaching to the level and background of your students.

Your fidelity to the good glows in the excellence of your lives. Not only do you set high standards for your own living and learning, but you compel us by your example to try to imitate you. In your quiet, unassuming way you wield great power for good. You serve as role models for the whole community — both students and faculty. As one of your colleagues recently stated, “The Twins *are* what a Christian educator ought to be.”

Your service to the beauty within others is proof of that beauty in yourselves. By your compassion, you give others the encouragement to grow; by your understanding, you help them in the process. “To the pure all things are pure.” You also find beauty in every aspect of life. And, not content to hoard it, you bring it with you into the classroom, into the library, into the community to share the blessings of God with countless others in small but quite significant ways.

In brief, you, Sisters Jean and Eloise, have touched and enriched all of us by your scholarship, fidelity, and service.

For these reasons, I confer upon you the degree of Doctor of Humane Letters, Honoris Causa, with all its rights and privileges.

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*Students who are assisting as hosts and hostesses for the commencement activities have been selected for their achievement of academic honors or distinguished extra-curricular service to The Newport College - Salve Regina.*

The significance of the colors of the honor cords worn by students in the academic procession is as follows:

Gold: Summa Cum Laude

Blue: Magna Cum Laude

White: Cum Laude

Green: Senior Class Officers

Red: Student Marshals